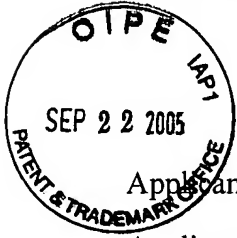


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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

[X] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.

[] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The claims fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	36	MINUS *	36	0
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* not fewer than 20

** not fewer than 3

SMALL ENTITY

	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X	\$ 25	\$ 0
X	\$ 100	\$ 0
+	\$ 180	\$ 0

TOTAL= \$ 0

OTHER THAN
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	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X	\$ 50	\$
X	\$ 200	\$
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X \$250	\$[]

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Petition for Extension of Time

- [X] Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time to respond to the Office Action dated May 20, 2005 for one month from August 20, 2005 to September 20, 2005. The appropriate fee is set forth below.
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